

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/613,053 Confirmation No.: 6718  
Applicant: : Imamura  
Filed: : July 7, 2003  
Group Art Unit : 1638  
Examiner: : FOX, David T.  
For : Protein Involved in Restoration of Cytoplasmic Male  
Sterility to Fertility and Gene Encoding the Protein and  
Gene  
Docket No. : 54-05A  
Customer No. : 23713

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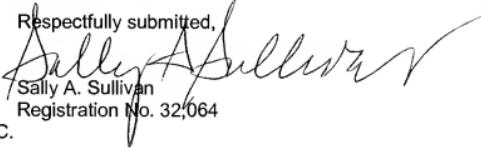
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for the minimum extension of time necessary so that the accompanying Amended and Response to Non-Final Office Action is timely filed.

It is believed that an extension of three months is required and that a fee in the amount of \$1,050 (large entity status) is due. It is intended that this amount be charged to Deposit Account No. 07-1969 by the EFS web payment system. If this amount is incorrect, or if the EFS system does not successfully deduct payment, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1969.

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